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Title:	APPARATUS AND SYSTEM FOR SYNCHRONIZED APPLICATION OF ONE OR MORE MATERIALS TO A SURFACE FROM A VEHICLE AND CONTROL OF A VEHICLE MOUNTED VARIABLE POSITION SNOW REMOVAL DEVICE	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT		
Dear Sir:		
Please enter this Preliminary Amendment in the continuation application filed herewith		
based on application Serial No. 09/643,154 filed August 21, 2001.		
IN THE CLAIMS: / /		
Please cancel claims 1-11.		
Please add the following new claims 12-41:		
12. A remote-controlled material distribution apparatus carried on a vehicle having a		

spreader system having at least one container for carrying at least one material therein for

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